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MINNESOTA BULLETIN NO. 210-5-1

SUBJECT: ENG - REPORTING AGRICULTURAL WASTE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

Purpose. To remind DC's and ASTC(FO)'s of reporting requirements for pollution abatement systems.

Expiration date: September 30, 2005

In accordance with policy in the National Engineering Manual (NEM), Part 537, MN537.01(2), <http://www.mn.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/eng/ENG-Manual/537-01%20AWM%20policy.pdf> final data on all ag waste systems completed in 2004 is to be submitted to the area office for forwarding to the state office. This information is to be supplied on the attached form MN-ENG-125, and submitted to John Brach.

This data continues to be the most comprehensive information available on ag waste system costs available. We recognize that it does require some time to complete the ENG-125 form for these jobs, but compared to the technical assistance time invested, this reporting time is very small.

We hope to be able to utilize this information to develop average costs or flat rates where possible for EQIP. If this is accomplished, the net result should be a significant timesaving at the field office and area office levels.

If you have any questions, please contact John Brach, State Conservation Engineer at (651) 602-7880.

/s/

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Attachment

DIST: FO
ENG(B)
ASTC(FO)
Area Admin Coordinators

COUNTY:

CALENDAR YEAR:

Project Name	Location ¼ ¼ Sec-T-R	Major Components ¹	Animal Units ²	Storage Capacity	Installation Cost	Cost Per Cu Ft	Cost Share		
							Federal	State	Other

REMARKS:

¹ **CT**-Concrete Tank, **CWD**-Clean Water Diversion, **CWP**-Clean Water Pump, **FS**-Filter Strip, **MT** Metal Tank, **MTP**-Manure Transfer Pump, **PD**-Perimeter Drain, **PWD**-Polluted Water Diversion, **PWP**-Polluted Water Pump, **RG**-Roof Gutters, **RS**-Roof Structure, **SP-CL** Storage Pond Concrete Liner, **SP-ML** Storage Pond Membrane Liner, **SP-SL** Storage Pond Soil Liner, **SP-UL** Storage Pond Unlined, **SS**-Stacking Slab, **VR**-Vertical Ramp

² Animal units measured in 1000 lb. Type: Beef, Dairy, Poultry, Swine